

28 May 1986

MEMORANDUM FOR: Director, Office of Information and Technology
FROM: Executive Director
SUBJECT: Installation of Legi-Slate

1. The Government Printing Office recently announced that House and Senate bills would no longer be routinely printed and delivered to government agencies. Since timely access to these bills is essential in monitoring legislation which affects the Agency, the Office of Congressional Affairs quickly investigated other ways of getting the information. OCA discovered that a commercial database called Legi-Slate would meet its needs, but by then was faced with a deadline of less than a week to get a system in place that could access the database.

25X1 2. On behalf of OCA, I would like to thank [redacted]
25X1 [redacted] for their efforts in this short deadline project. David
25X1 [redacted] responded immediately with a system configuration and the loan of an
25X1 IBM 3270 PC. [redacted] provided technical expertise, loaned us a modem
25X1 and printer and took time to install the printer in person. [redacted]
provided training and assistance to OCA, added menus to the software to
make it user-friendly and coordinated a smooth transition to the new
telephone system.

3. We very much appreciate all their efforts and the long hours they spent to keep the OCA abreast of Congressional events.

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